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WEDUM SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

MISSOULA--

Seventeen students in the School of Pharmacy and Allied Health Sciences at the University of Montana have received Wedum Scholarships of \$700 each for the 1980-81 academic year.

The Wedum Scholarship is given to outstanding juniors and seniors in pharmacy, pre-medical sciences, medical technology or physical therapy. Recipients must be natives of Montana and graduates of Montana high schools.

The scholarship fund was established by the late Dr. Arnold G. Wedum, who over a period of years donated more than \$100,000 to the UM Foundation, a non-profit organization that raises private funds for scholarships, research projects and other programs of the University. The Wedum Endowment in the foundation now provides \$11,900 a year for UM scholarships.

Dr. Wedum, originally from Glasgow, earned a B.A. in economics from the UM in 1925 and an M.S. in biology in 1930. He received a Ph.D. in bacteriology in 1932 from Northwestern University and an M.D. in 1936 from the Northwestern School of Medicine. At the time of his death in 1976, he was serving as a consultant to Litton Bionetics, Inc.; the Frederick, Md., Cancer Research Center; and the National Cancer Institute. He received the UM Alumni Association Distinguished Service Award in 1966.

Recipients of Wedum Scholarships for 1980-81, listed by hometown, are:

Anaconda--Vincent J. Colucci (Opportunity). Carter--Julie A. Jackson. Darby--Daniel A. Spurlock. Deer Lodge--Susan M. Porter. Dillon--Patricia M. Mitchell. Great Falls--Randy L. Kuiper. Hamilton--Romona A. Heiland. Harlem--Patricia L. Orlando. Helena--Thomas E. Hughes. Kalispell--Lisa M. Lundgren, Clark M. Lyda and Jean M. Medved. Laurel--Michael E. Metzger. Missoula--Dane S. Hunt, Gary F. Lusin, Nita M. Marceau and Joanna R. Morrison. ###